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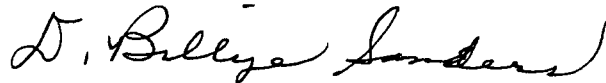
Deborah Tate, Chairman
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37219

Re: Chattanooga Gas Company Actual Cost Adjustment (ACA)
Audit; Docket Number 03-00516

Dear Chairman Tate:

This letter comes to formally request that the ACA Audit Report for Chattanooga Gas Company that was recently issued by the Staff not be placed on the TRA's docket for consideration at the June 21 Authority Conference. Chattanooga Gas Company respectfully requests that the matter be deferred to the July 26 Conference in order to allow it time to file a response to the report. I have spoken with Randal Gilliam of the Legal Staff regarding this request and it is my understanding that the Staff has no objection to deferring the matter.

Sincerely,



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